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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 09/733,626
Entitled: SLIDING DEVICE
Our File No.: B0932/7158
Burton File No.: BBOA-0014US

Dear Kate:

Enclosed for your records is the Response to the Election of Species, Preliminary Amendment, Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and Request for Approval of Drawing Corrections we filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 4, 2002, in connection with the above-referenced application.

We will keep you informed of further developments in this matter. If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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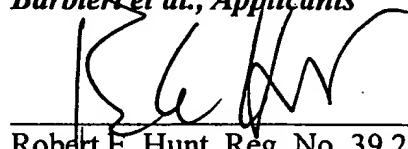
Request for Approval of Correction of Drawings

Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to approve the proposed corrections to Figures 1 and 3 shown in red on the attached sheet.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbieri et al., Applicants

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